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House Resolution 2148

By: Representatives Lindsey of the 54th and Dobbs of the 53rd

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Matthew David Goldman; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Matthew David Goldman has attained the rank of Eagle Scout, the most
- 3 distinguished rank conferred by the Boy Scouts of America; and
- 4 WHEREAS, a candidate for the most exceptional award in scouting must complete a
- 5 rigorous program of training and demonstrate his proficiency in selected scouting techniques
- 6 and attainment of the highest ideals of scouting; and
- 7 WHEREAS, only one scout out of 97 ever reaches this lofty level of achievement, and Matt
- 8 has ably evidenced his aptitude and competency in mastering the various special skills taught
- 9 through the Boy Scout program; and
- 10 WHEREAS, this hard-working young man is a member of Troop 467 and has demonstrated
- 11 great leadership skills and initiative during his years with the Boy Scouts of America
- 12 program; and
- 13 WHEREAS, to earn the rank of Eagle Scout, Matt installed a retaining fence and constructed
- 14 two picnic tables for The Galloway School soccer fields; and
- 15 WHEREAS, Matt is a championship rower for the Atlanta Junior Rowing Association and
- participated in record-breaking 54 mile and 100 mile treks in 2008 and 2009; and
- 17 WHEREAS, an outstanding Georgian, Matt has truly exhibited a commitment to the scouting
- 18 principles of honesty and fairness and has consistently conducted himself in a manner
- 19 becoming an Eagle Scout; and
- 20 WHEREAS, the perseverance and determination displayed by this exceptional young leader
- 21 is an example for all Georgians, and great success is surely in this young man's future.

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22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that

- 23 the members of this body commend Matthew David Goldman for his diligence and
- 24 dedication in pursuing the highest honor awarded by the Boy Scouts of America and
- 25 congratulate him on attaining the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout.
- 26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 27 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Matthew David Goldman.